

Newsletter

Autumn Term 1 Week 8

Friday 23rd October 2026

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**Kind
Resilient
Respectful**



As we reach the end of another busy and successful term, I would like to thank all of our children, staff and families for their continued support. It was a real pleasure to celebrate so many children at our Progress Cup assembly on Tuesday. The number of awards presented reflected the hard work, determination and progress being made across the school, and it was wonderful to see so many families joining us to celebrate these achievements.

The top end of the school has been noticeably quieter this week as our Year 6 children have been away on their residential visit to Windmill Hill. Despite some wet weather, they have embraced every opportunity with enthusiasm and positivity. Throughout the week they have challenged themselves with new activities, demonstrated resilience when things became difficult, shown respect for their temporary home, and displayed exceptional kindness in supporting one another. We are incredibly proud of the way they have represented our school and know they will return with many happy memories of this special experience.

We wish everyone a restful and enjoyable half-term break and look forward to welcoming the children back next term on Monday 2nd November.

Progress Cup Assembly – Tuesday 20th October

Congratulations to the children who received the Progress Cup for their exceptional learning throughout term 1.



Year 1	Reggie Millan	Raphael Parris
Year 2	Oliver Prior	Phoebe Dennis
Year 3	Henry Addyman	Tobi Eaton
Year 4	Thomas Limburn	Oliver Allen
Year 5	Abigail Attwood	Ethan Chipchase
Year 6	Ben Daniels	Lottie Hanson

Who won Attendance Ted this term?

Whole school: 95.2%

Reception: 94.3%

Year 1: 98.1%

Year 2: 96.4%

Year 3: 93.7%

Year 4: 96.4%

Year 5: 91.2%

Year 6: 96.5%

Attendance Matters



Congratulations
YEAR 1



We've had some wet and wild weather this week, but the children have continued to enjoy their playtimes regardless. If you're having a sort out over half term and are looking to get rid of any of the following items, please consider donating them to our school.

Suitcases & large bags



Bikes, balance bikes & scooters

Coats & Wellies

We try and get the children out in all weathers so please ensure your child has a suitable coat for the changeable weather. After half term, if children wish to use the field they will need a pair of wellies.



Key Dates

Term 2

- 4th November – Individual & Sibling Photographs
- 16th November – Odd Socks Day
- 17th November – Year 1 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 18th November - New Reception Open Day (9:30am & 5:00pm)
- 19th November – Year 2 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 20th November – Year 3 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 20th November – Children in Need
- 23rd November – Year 4 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 25th November – Year 5 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 25th November – Open Classrooms (from 3:10pm)
- 26th November – Year 6 Class Assembly (9:00am)
- 27th November – INSET day
- 1st December – School Choir @ Brighton Dome
- 9th December – EYFS Nativity
- 11th December – Key Stage 1 Nativity
- 14th December – Year 3 & 4 Christmas Performance
- 15th December – Year 5 & 6 Christmas Performance
- 16th December – Christmas Lunch
- 18th December – End of term



Term Dates (2026 – 2027)

Term 1

Friday 4th Sept – Friday 23rd Oct

Term 2

Monday 2nd Nov – Friday 18th Dec

Term 3

Monday 4th Jan – Friday 12th Feb

Term 4

Monday 22nd Feb – Thursday 25th Mar

Term 5

Monday 12th April – Friday 28th May

Term 6

Monday 7th June – Thursday 22nd July

**Please note not all INSET days
have been set.**



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